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In re Application of:

Raymund Laplante, et. al.

Serial No.: 09/800,418

Filed: March 6, 2001

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Barrier Polymers and Oxygen  
Scavenging Polymers§  
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Group Art Unit: 1711

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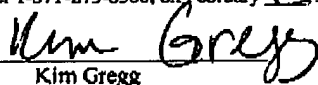
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2005, for which the three-month Shortened Statutory Period for reply was November 12, 2005. Applicants have filed a request for a three-month extension thereby extending the date for reply to February 12, 2006. Since February 12, 2006, falls on a Sunday, the date for reply becomes February 13, 2006. If any fee under 37 C.F.R. § § 1.16 to 1.21 is required for any reason, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner authorized to deduct or credit the fee from or to Deposit Account 50-1629.

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